Memorandum of Agreement Between

Montana Public Employees Association Department Of Labor and Industry

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry and the MPEA.

The parties agree to amend the Department of Labor and Industry Supplemental agreement to the MPEA Master Contract as follows:

In order to maintain continuous employment, employees who are in a laid off status or who are scheduled for layoff may be transferred to a vacant position upon agreement of the employer and the employee and after notification to the union without compliance with this or any other provisions of the agreement.

DATED this 14 day of 2017.

FOR: THE STATE OF MONTANA:

FOR: MONTANA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION:

Pam Bucy, Commissioner

Department of Labor and Industry

Quinton Nyman Executive Director

Mike Mahion, Chief Labor Negotiator

State Office of Labor Relations